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In re Patent Application of: Daniel G. Giddings et al.

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For: Method and apparatus for cleaning fabrics, floor coverings, and bare floor surfaces utilizing a soil

transfer cleaning medium

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Examiner: J. M. Heckert

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS AFTER FINAL Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 27, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: